

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Small Entity)**

Docket No.  
ZAA-10204/03

In Re Application Of: **Zaher Al-Sheikh**

Serial No.

~~09/649,530~~  
09/694,530

Filing Date

October 23, 2000

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Invention: **METHOD FOR VERIFYING THE IDENTITY OF A PASSENGER**

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 12/31/2003 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month      ☒ Two months      ☐ Three months      ☐ Four months      ☐ Five months

from: March 31, 2004

*Date*

until: May 31, 2004

*Date*

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.  
☒ has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is **\$210** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **07-1180**  
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **07-1180**

  
*Signature*

Dated: **May 21, 2004**

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